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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

Further to the Final Office Action dated November 10, 2009 (hereinafter "Office Action"), in view of the concurrently filed request for Request Continued Examination ("RCE"), and in view of the following amendments and/or remarks, Emerson P. Jones, Et Al. and/or Attorney(s) for applicant(s) (hereinafter "Applicant") request entry thereof and reconsideration of the above-referenced application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims begin on page 2.

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